DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Boiled rice, 2nd sort	7·13	6·90	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi ...	13·62	12·37	
Rangoon rice, 2nd sort ...		7·47	

Agricultural operations.—Paddy is being harvested and thrashed. Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder are sufficiently available.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Progress of agricultural operations.*—Paddy, avare, togari and horse gram are reported to be harvested in parts of all the taluks of the district. The milling of sugar cane in parts of the Dodballapur Taluk and the cutting of it in parts of the Channapatna Taluk are also reported.

State of standing crops.—Paddy, sugar cane and castor are reported to be good, except in parts of Hoskote, where sugar cane and paddy are reported to be withering.

Outturn.—Ragi 4 to 8 annas in the Hoskote Taluk, 2 to 8 annas in the Kankanhalli Taluk, 6 to 12 annas in the Channapatna Taluk, and 2 to 6 annas in the Devanhalli Taluk. Paddy 4 to 6 annas in the Hoskote Taluk, 4 annas in the Kankanhalli Taluk, 12 to 16 annas in the Channapatna Taluk, 8 annas in the Anekal Taluk and 4 annas in the Devanhalli Taluk. Horse gram 2 annas in the Kankanhalli Taluk and 8 annas in the Anekal Taluk. Potatoes 4 annas in the Anekal Taluk. Avare 4 annas in the Anekal Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stocks are available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for plague in Vartur, Adugodi, Krishnarajapur of the Bangalore Taluk, and in Karapur and Saklavara of the Anekal Taluk, public health is generally good. An imported case of plague is reported in Cheklur village of the Channapatna Taluk.

12. Except for the outbreak of a peculiar disease among sheep in Bandur Valagerehalli of the Channapatna Taluk, cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations and crops sown.*—Vaisakhi paddy is being sown in parts of the Chintamani and Goribidnur Taluks.

Crops harvested and their probable outturn.—Paddy and horse gram in almost all the taluks, yield 8 to 6 annas respectively; ragi in the Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta, Bagepalli and Srinivaspur Taluks, yield about 8 annas; avare and togari in the Chintamani, Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta, Chikballapur, Bagepalli, Goribidnur and Srinivaspur Taluks, yield about 10 annas; and sugar cane in the Goribidnur Taluk and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, yield 12 annas.

Standing crops.—Paddy and sugar cane are fair.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs are available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for a few cases of plague in the Kolar, Chintamani, Mulbagal, Srinivaspur and Sidlaghatta Taluks and Kolar Gold Fields, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Pasture and fodder are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Paddy in the Maddagiri and Pavagada Taluks and in the Koratagere and Turuvekere Sub-Taluks; Bengal gram in the Tumkur and Chiknayakanhalli Taluks and in the Turuvekere Sub-Taluk; jola in the Tumkur and Maddagiri Taluks and in the Koratagere Sub-Taluk; wheat in the Maddagiri Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in the Tumkur, Maddagiri and Sira Taluks and in the Koratagere Sub-Taluk, yield 4 to 8 annas; avare, castor, togari and horse gram in most parts of the district, yield 2 to 6 annas; groundnuts in the Maddagiri and Pavagada Taluks and in the Koratagere Sub-Taluk; and jola in the Chiknayakanhalli Taluk.

Condition of standing crops.—Dry crops are reported to be withering for want of rain; and wet crops under wells are reported to be in fairly good condition.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stocks are available. Water is reported to be insufficient in parts of the Pavagada Taluk, where the wells are being deepened.

11. Except for plague in a few villages of the Gubbi Taluk, and small-pox in a few villages of the Chiknayakanhalli and Pavagada Taluks, public health is good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

MYSORE.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *State of standing crops.*—Paddy, sugar cane, avare, togari, castor, horse gram, til, cotton, Bengal gram, coriander, haraka are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in almost all the taluks; horse gram in parts of the Chamrajnagar, Seringapatam, Malvalli and Nagamangala Taluks; sugar cane and avare in parts of the Seringapatam and Nagamangala Taluks; togari in parts of the Gundlupet and Krishnarajpete Taluks; ragi and haraka in parts of the Malvalli Taluk; castor in parts of the Gundlupet and Nagamangala Taluks; til in parts of the Krishnarajpete Taluk; and Bengal gram in parts of the Mandya and Krishnarajpete Taluks.

Outturn of crops.—Ragi in parts of the Nanjangud Taluk, yield 8 annas and paddy 12 annas; Bengal gram, avare, til and togari yield 4 to 8 annas, respectively.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Mysore, Chamrajnagar, Seringapatam, Hunsur, Yedatore, Gundlupet, Nanjangud and T.-Narsipur Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Kadale, avare and sugar cane in the Hassan Taluk; avare, kadale and chillies in the Arkalgud Taluk; sugar cane, togari, avare, kulthi and kadale in the Belur Taluk; sugar cane, kadale and castor in the Channarayapatna Taluk; ragi, kulthi, avare and togari in the Arsikere Taluk; kulthi, chillies, togari, kadale and avare in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk and paddy in the Alur Sub-Taluk, are being harvested.

Outturn of crops.—Dry crops about 4 annas in the Arkalgud Taluk; dry crops about 6 annas and paddy and sugar cane about 8 annas in the Channarayapatna Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good.

11. Except for plague in the Saklespur and Belur towns and small-pox in parts of the Hassan, Manjarabad, Belur, Arkalgud and Arsikere Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are generally healthy, except in parts of Byagadahalli hobli, Manjarabad Taluk, where "Kalvadata" a kind of foot disease is reported to prevail among cattle. Needful steps are reported to be taken for the treatment of the effected cattle. Water and fodder are generally available. It is stated that the Conservator of Forests has approved of the arrangement to keep open the forests of Hirikalgudda and Ramenahalli for the grazing of the cattle of the Arsikere Taluk reported in the last weekly season report.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Nil.

Standing crops.—Sugar cane throughout the district; Bengal gram in the Shimoga, Channagiri and Honnali Taluks; cotton (small) in the Channagiri and Honnali Taluks; and wheat and yennigar jola in the Honnali Taluk, are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Avare, togari and chillies in the Honnali Taluk; arecanut in the Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks, are being harvested. Sugar cane is being milled in the Shimoga and Channagiri Taluks and in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in the Shimoga and Shikarpur Taluks and small-pox in the Shimoga, Channagiri, Sorab, Sagar and Tirthahalli Taluks. Public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy, except in Sagar and Tirthahalli Taluks, where they are said to have been suffering from "foot and mouth" disease.

KADUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being prepared in parts of the Mudgere Taluk and Yedahalli Sub-Taluk.

Crops sown.—Kar paddy is being sown in parts of the Koppa Taluk.

Standing crops.—Bengal gram, sugar cane, garlic and onions, in the Chikmagalur Taluk; Bengal gram, wheat, sugar cane, togari, besige jola, paddy and castor in the Kadur Taluk; wheat, Bengal gram, besige jola, cotton, castor, sugar cane and avare in the Tarikere Taluk; paddy, areca, sugar cane and pepper in the Koppa Taluk; paddy, kulthi and sugar cane in the Mudgere Taluk; areca and sugar cane in the Yedahalli Sub-Taluk; and areca and paddy in Sringeri. All these crops are reported to be in fair condition.

Crops harvested.—Paddy, coffee and kulthi in the Chikmagalur Taluk, yield of paddy 8 to 10 annas; ragi, samé, navane, coriander and paddy in the Kadur Taluk, yield 8 to 12 annas; castor, kulthi and sugar cane in the Tarikere Taluk, yield 8 annas; paddy, areca, ragi and coffee in the Koppa Taluk, yield of paddy 8 to 10 annas, areca 10 to 12 annas and ragi 8 annas; paddy and ragi in the Mudgere Taluk; and areca in the Yedahalli Sub-Taluk, yield 12 annas. Want of sufficient rainfall has affected the yield of the crops in many parts of the district.

10. Prospects of the season are fair on the whole. Supply of food stuffs is sufficient.

11. Except for plague in some villages of the Chikmagalur and Kadur Taluks, and small-pox in some villages of the Chikmagalur, Tarikere, Koppa Taluks and in the Yedahalli Sub-Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are suffering from "foot and mouth" disease in some villages of the Chikmagalur, Kadur and Tarikere Taluks and "metre roga" in Elehole village of the Chikmagalur Taluk.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Bili jola, Bengal gram, sugar cane, wheat, paddy, avare, togari and cotton are reported to be in fair condition, except in the Hiriyur, Molakalmuru and Hosdurga Taluks, where they are reported to be withering. The cotton crop in the Davangere Taluk, is reported to have been attacked by "Majjige Roga."

Seeds sown.—Paddy in the Challakere Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Bengal gram in the Chitaldrug Taluk, yield about 8 annas; horse gram in the Chitaldrug, Challakere and Hosdurga Taluks, yield 1 to 8 annas; paddy in the Challakere and Molakalmuru Taluks, yield 8 to 10 annas; castor in the Challakere and Jagalur Taluks, yield 6 to 10 annas; cotton in the Challakere, Davangere and Jagalur Taluks and Harihar Sub-Taluk, yield 4 to 12 annas; togari in the Challakere, Davangere, Jagalur and Hosdurga Taluks and Harihar Sub-Taluk, yield 1 to 8 annas; ragi and avare in the Molakalmuru and Hosdurga Taluks, yield 1 to 8 annas; black gram and green gram in the Jagalur Taluk, yield 4 to 8 annas; navane, sesamum, samé and baragu in the Hosdurga Taluk, yield 1 to 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stocks are available.

11. Public health is generally good, except for small-pox in parts of the Davangere Taluk and Harihar Sub-Taluk and plague in Harihar town.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

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